
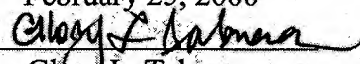


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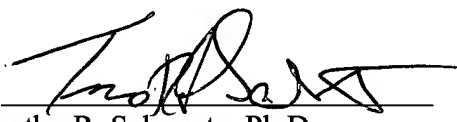
In response to the Notice to Comply mailed December 27, 1999, transmitted herewith are the following documents:

1. Form PTO-1661;
2. Sequence Listing and computer-readable diskette; and
3. return self-addressed postcard.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fees due in connection with the filing of these documents to our Deposit Account No. 07-0630 (our Ref. P1543R1). A duplicate copy of this transmittal is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,
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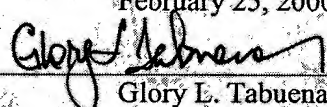
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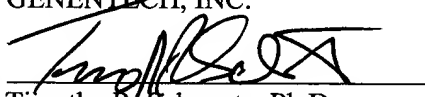
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I hereby state that the Sequence Listing submitted herewith is submitted in paper copy and a computer-readable diskette, and that the information recorded in computer readable form is identical to the written sequence listing. I further state that this submission includes no new matter.

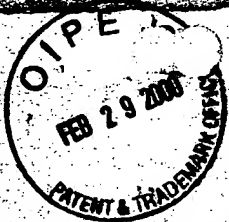
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An Application Number and Filing Date have been assigned to this application. The items indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE within which to file a sequence listing in compliance with 37 CFR 1.821- 1.825 to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

The nucleotide and/or amino acid sequence disclosure contained in this application does not comply with the requirements for such a disclosure as set forth in 37 CFR 1.821 - 1.825 for the following reason(s):

- ☐ 1. This application fails to comply with the requirements of 37 CFR 1.821 - 1.825.
- ☐ 2. This application does not contain, as a separate part of the disclosure on paper copy, a "Sequence Listing" as required by 37 CFR 1.821(c).
- ☐ 3. A copy of the "Sequence Listing" in computer readable form has not been submitted as required by 37 CFR 1.821(e).
- ☒ 4. A copy of the "Sequence Listing" in computer readable form has been submitted. The content of the computer readable form, however, does not comply with the requirements of 37 CFR 1.822 and/or 1.832, as indicated on the attached marked-up copy of the "Raw Sequence Listing."
- ☐ 5. The computer readable form that has been filed with this application has been found to be damaged and/or unreadable as indicated on the attached CRF Diskette Problem Report. A substitute computer readable form must be submitted as required by 37 CFR 1.825(d).
- ☐ 6. The paper copy of the "Sequence Listing" is not the same as the computer readable form of the "Sequence Listing" as required by 37 CFR 1.821(e).
- ☐ 7. OTHER:

APPLICANT MUST PROVIDE:

- ☐ An initial or substitute computer readable form (CRF) copy of the "Sequence Listing."
- ☐ An initial or substitute paper copy of the "Sequence Listing," as well as an amendment directing its entry into the specification.
- ☐ A statement that the content of the paper and computer readable copies are the same and, where applicable, include no new matter, as required by 37 CFR 1.821(e), 1.821(f), 1.821(g), 1.825(b) or 1.825(d).

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